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-Colonial-Treasury Hongkong, 16th August, 1882.

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For further information as to Freight of Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A; Queen's Road Central. "CHAS. D. HARMAN, Acting Agenta

Hongkong, 31st August, 1882. U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER-LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT

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"CITY OF PEKING." will be despatched for San Francisco, vis Yokohama, on FRIDAY, the 15th September, at Noon, taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Hayana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

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dress in full ; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

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CHAS. D. HARMAN, Acting Agent. Hongkong, 31st August, 1882. -

Intimations. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND of 4 per cent., being \$5 per Share for the six months ended 30th June last, declared at TO-DAY'S ORDINARY HALF. YEARLY MEETING, will be Payable at the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPO-RATION from TO-MORROW, the 29th instant, and Shareholders are requested to apply for Dividend Warrants at the Company's Offices, No. 14, Praya Central, Hongkong.

By Order of the Board of Directors, R. COOKE. _ Hongkong, 28th August, 1882. HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOC! COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

ONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS requested to tend in a Statement of BUSINESS Contributed during the half-year ended 30th June, 1882, on or before 30th September, on which date the Accounts will be

By Order of the Board of Directors, R. COOKE, Acting Secretary. Hongkong; 28th August, 1882.

W. G. HUMPHREYS & CO.,

-MERCHANTS-AND-GENERAL-COMMISSION... AGENTS, A. TAVE THIS DAY REMOVED THEIR OFFICES to the Premises lately occupied by Messys, MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., No. 43, Queen's Road. LONDON OFFICES, 36 and 37, Leadenhall Street, E.C.

Hongkong, 28th August, 1882. M, GUED HOUSE AND LAND BROKER; AUCTIONEER AND COMMISSION AGENT.

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MELCHERS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1882.

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Port, and will have quick despatch.

FOR VICTORIA, B. C. THE American Ship "ELLA S. THAYER," Davis, Master, will load here for the above

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RUSSELL & Co.... Hongkong, 19th August, 1882. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Barque

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Hongkong, 20th August, 1882.

UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND

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Agents. Hongkong, 30th August, 1882.

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Arrangements have been made to publish The Holegkong Telegraph daily at 4 P.M. Sub-scribers in the central districts who do not receive heir copies before FIVE O'CLOCK will oblige by

at once communicating with the Manager.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 1882.

CORRESPONDENT, for whose good opinion we have the highest respect, suggests that, for our own sake, altogether apart from the interests of the public, we should abandon the hopeless task of striving to bring - back the China Mail to the paths of truth tion at Drury Lane Theatre, London, of a and usefulness. He assures us that the game is not worth the candle, and expresses a very strong opinion that, had we declined to notice the Mail's cowardly and false attacks on Governor Hennessy, and its scandalous actions in other affairs of public notoriety, the evening journal would most probably have died-a natural death months ago. Our correspondent is of opinion that the gratuitous publicity we have given the China Mail has greatly assisted in keeping it affont. As he truly enough remarks; its lying abuse of Sir John Pore Hennessy, indulged in with such sickening persistency, would quickly have palled on the appetites of the Hongkong public, and as the newspaper, viewed as a news medium, was beneath contempt, and had really no claims to public support, it must inevitably have lost favor, and gone to hopeless grief: Its virulence; and unscrupulous disregard of truth when dealing. with the affairs of our local government, were thoroughly understood throughout the Colony; and although this line of policy might possibly have given satisfaction to one or two understrappers in the "princely i house," it only excited disgust in the minds journalistic enterprise a vast deal of supof the community at large, not even excepting Governor HENNESSY's most determined opponents. Our correspondent-a as a most energetic opponent of Governor the China Mail any more cheap advertise-

are perfectly correct. As a matter of fact, our way by persons who had interests to

lar opinions for some considerable time past; moreover, we have frequently received assurances from several of Governor HEN-NESSY's recognised public opponents to the effect that they regarded the China Mail' unscrupulous inventions, and perversions of truth, as scandalous outrages on the policy they supported. The most respectable of the opposition to the Governor's general policy, repudiated the China Mail as the representative of their views, in no uncertain terms, declining to be bound in any way by what frequently appeared to be statements authoritatively made, by re quest of the recognised opposition, for party purposes. It is possible that our contemporary may have been supported in its disgraceful course by a few individuals, self-constituted dictators on every matter in any way relating to Hongkong, who studied only personal antipathies, sel-Interest, and disappointed ambition; but it is positively certain ,that the majority of, Governor Hennessy's opponents-or enemies-are men of high principle and unstained honour, gentlemen who could -TELEGRAMS for Bangkok can go forward by not, under any circumstances, have possibly stooped to barefaced lying, and cowardly proximo. slandering. We have no doubt that by

having kept our evening contemporary is no further news from Corea by the steamers almost constantly before the public, we have surrounded its existence with an importance - a fictitious importance - to which its intrinsic merits as a newspaper in no way gave it a claim. It must be apparent to every unprejudiced mind that the China Mail is a newspaper only in name. It must he clearly evident that, but for the special support of a section of the public, for whom we are willing to believe it has done good; not more than \$150, landed in Hongkong. The service in the past, the China Mail does not possess sufficient merits as a news meduim, or a leader and guide of public opinion, to warrant its, existence as an independent journal. That, of course, is its own affair; and how far our criticisms may have assisted in keeping the concern from tumbling to pieces, we leave our readers to form their own ideas. We have certainly not been mealy-mouthed in animadverting on the Mail's deviations from the paths of truth and virtue; but then, harsh criticisms on newspapers, new books, and new plays, frequently engage

public interest, and lead to temporary success. Scores, nay, hundreds of instances to prove the truth of this argument could be easily adduced. Everyone can tell of books, which have been mercilessly slated by the reviewers, attracting public attenion sofely owing to the adverse criticisms; and afterwards running into half a dozen editions in a single season; of plays, ruthlessly damned the first night by the critics, which gained notoriety or fame by the condemnation, and "ran" to crowded play entitled "Formosa," which created for. play "Madeleine Morel," which, by the way, he stole from the French, "Formosa" was grossly immoral, and it was universally condemned by the London press. The licenser of plays was severely handled for passing such an obscene work -the heroine of the drama, Formosa, was

a fair but frail ornament of St. Joux's Wood -and the author, the irrepressible Dion and it was estimated that he had stolen upwards Judge Hoffman. Boucicault, was anything but lightly dealt with. The result of all this was that the public became interested in the "damned" play, and flocked to Drury Lane in thousands. "Formosa" had a lengthy run, and Diox Boucicault and F. B. CHATTERTON cleared on dil over £20,000. police prejudice. So the poor fellow is. The ignominiously. Many similar instances could be quoted, so it is no far-fetched argument for our correspondent to advance, that the publicity we have given the China Mail's false and slanderous attacks on Governor Hennessy, has contributed to give that notorious specimen of modern

However, we must draw the line some gentleman of position, who is well known where, and we intend drawing it at giving HENNESSY's ideas of local government in ments. We have still one grievance Hongkong-assures us that His Excel- against the evening journal, which we lency's bitterest enemies have never sub- hope to remedy in our next issue, and thenderous conduct of the China Mail when guid" to die a natural death in its own and private career; "and while justifying porary has tried hard to crush us; but we our having so vigorously taken up the, are gratified at being able to say that all cudgels-in-defence of truth and fair play, attempts to constitute a newspaper monoregrets that we were the unwitting means poly in this Golony have ignominiously of giving undeserved importance to matters | failed. It was the Editor of the China Mail which, bad they bean quietly ignored; who took a copy of the Telegraph between would have been regarded as the harmless! his finger and thumb, some fifteen months but venomous offscourings of poisoned ago, and sneeringly observed." This is not yindictivness, which ought to have been a newspaper; it is a rag." Tempora mitallowed unnoticed to sink into merited lantur et nos mulamur in illis. We leave the There cannot be the least doubt that the newspaper now, and which "the rag." facts and reasoning of our correspondent | Wrestling with the difficulties thrown in

ened our nerves, brought dormant energles into play, and sharpened our wits. Our enemies have unwittingly proved out? best friends. Admitting that our journalistic career has not been altogether a bed of roses; we have some satisfaction in being able to look back on many good works we have accomplished, and we are sensible enough to accept useful lessons from our past errors, and to profit by dearly bought experiences. Our future policy will be to do our utmost to entertain, while we instruct our readers; to interest the hearts of the public while informing their minds We trust, after giving the China Mail the final kick, and repaying in kind, the last good offices of our well-meaning contemporary, to prove that it is possible for a newspaper to be both reliable and interesting, and that a press writer may be amusing without being personal, piquant without being offensive.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

mail closing at Singapore at 9 a.m. on the and

Says the Courier of the 26th instant :- There of spectators, "We shall be there." which arrived from the north to day.

THE Agents (Messrs. Adamson, Bell & Co. inform us that the steamer Pembrokeskire, from London, left Singapore yesterday for Hongkong.

WE would remind sportsmen that the Subscription Griffin list for the next Hongkong Races will close to-day. The conditions are similar to those of previous years, viz: each pony to cost griffins will be purchased in Shanghai by Mr. H. de Courcy Forbes, and are expected to arrive here early in October. The Stewards of the Hongkong Race Fund have arranged to allot certain races exclusively confined to these ponies, so owners who may be lucky enough to draw racer can confidently look forward to having a gay time next February. Applications for subscriptions must be sent to Mr. H. J. H. Tripp Clerk of the Course, Hongkong Club.

A ST. PETERSBURG correspondent sends to the London papers the following account of a sad accident which is said to have occurred at Perterhoff, though-he-cannot-vouch-for-its-absolute-trutli-r-The Emperor was out walking in the park, and -for-some-reason-or-other-became-interested-in the operations of several workmen, or gardeners, who were at some distance off. His Majesty appears to have beckened to one of the workmen to come up to him, intending to speak to the man, and, perhaps, ask some questions. The workman noticed the sign, threw down his tool, and run towards the Emperor. When only a step or two from His Majesty's person he fell dead at' the Czar's feet, shot by a sentinel close at hand, who had not seen the Emperor call the man, and who had imperative orders to fire on any strangers approaching the Emperor. His Majesty -houses-for-months. -- We-remember-some-lit is said, helped to lift up the body, and showed twelve or thirteen years ago the produc- the bitterest grief. The wife and family of the unfortunate man are to be thoroughly cared

at that time a great deal of sensation in ADAM HOLT, shoemaker, of Salford, considers the theatrical world. Like BANDMANN's sthat he is the victim of police prejudice. Let us housebreaking. There was not very much evidence against him beyond the fact that when burglaries, was found. He appeared to have chiefly been guilty of thefts of boots, which he of five hundred pairs in all. Jewellery was also found in considerable quantity. Besides these trifles in his possession was a six-chambered pin-fire revolver, a long single-barrelled pistol, daggers, skeleton keys, and a life preserver, about two feet in length, weighted heavily with lead. Yet Adam Holt considers that he is the victim of Peace. Holt further added that he had "tried to earn an honest living." This may be so, but his ideas of honesty are clearly at variance with those of the Quarter Sessions Court, for he was sent into retirement, for seven years. The old Adam was evidently too strong in the new onc.

KERPER of a cook shop in West Street was fined \$100 or three months' hard labor this we have personally held somewhat simi- serve in extinguishing us, has only strength- I hold controversy with such mean animals to her husband.

THE Aquatic Sports fixed for to-morrow and Saturday have been postponed till Monday and Tuesday, in consequence, of the low state of the

THE Summa Maru undocked at Sam-shui-po last night, the Activ going in. The Prima Doing came out of the Kowloon Dock this morning, the Peking taking her place.

An ex lukong, who was discharged from the Force a short time since for general bad conduct. got three months hard labor this morning at the Police Court for stealing a jacket and two opium pipes from a coolie.

For acting as watchman in connection with the Tze Fa Lottery swindle; by giving the "tip when a constable was coming, a cook was sentenced to six weeks' hard labor this morning by Mr. Wodehouse as a rogue and vagabond.

THERE was only a moderate attendance at Chiarini's Circus and Menagerie, last night.-The programme had been twice performed previously, and although the whole of the artistes were quite up to the mark in their several parts, we are of opinion that want of change was the real reason for the scanty audience. A splendid programme has been announced for this evening, embracing many startling novelties; we anticipate a large roll up

JAMES MCKNIGHT, an unemployed seaman, late of the Invincible, was fined 50 cents or a day, for being drunk and incapable in the street yesterday. The Magistrate was good enough to allow James to go foraging for five ten-centers, accompanied by a constable, who had instructions to see to his safe return to the Police compound We hear that Mac received \$30 recently upon being paid off from the Invincible, but that the Mexicans vanished with lightning-like rapidity from his improvident hands. It is to be seen now whether those who helped him to dissipate the money will assist him in his sore strait for half a Mexican.

SAYS the Hiogo News:-At the time Mr. Hanabuse and his companions were rescued by H.M.S. Flying Fish, he noticed a woman, seconlingly a Chinese from her dress, whose appearance convinced him she was a countrywoman. H asked her where she came from, and the woman replied that she was a native of Yokohama, and was named Yasu. About thirteen years ago, when she was five years old, she was kidnapped by a Chinaman and sold for a slave in Shanghai. The woman had lost all recollection of Japan, save the name of Sudsugamori, where the heads of ciminals used to be exposed after execution. Mr. Hanabusa, being satisfied she was a Japanese subject, directed Mr. Kondo to procure her liberation from slavery through the Chinese Consul. This was accomplished, and the woman despatched to Yokohama in the Tokio-maru. She speaks Chinese, English, and some other languages...

EXCEPTIONS were filed yesterday, says the San Francisco Alla of the 26th ult., in the United States District Court to the libels against the ocean tramps Anerly, Strathairly, Anjer. Head and Serapis for illegal construction of their berths, one case probably deciding the matter, against all of them. The exceptions are that the libels do not state facts constituting a cause of action against the master and giving rise to any lien against the vessel under any law of the United States; and that being vessels in whole look into the circumstances. Adam was charged or part propelled by steam they came neither by the Manchester police with burglary and under Section 4255, regulating the construction of berths and affixing the penalties for violations nor under Section 4270 of the Revised Statutes, his house in Gorton was searched a large amount | providing for the carriage of passengers in merof property of various kinds, the proceeds of chant vessels and the mode of seeking the penalties, the claim being made that the term "vessel" is applicable only to sailing crafts. The excepcould dispose of in his ordinary way of business, | tions come up for argument this morning before

all her nude loveliness to the weak-minded Adam,

as doubtless there were incessant bickerings between the ill-fated pair after the fatal apple- tone and appearance of the letter, or the mysterieating arrangement which drove them out of The play was recently revived, and failed police had a similar antipathy to the late Charles | Paradise, and entailed ills innumerable upon their unhappy descendants. We have beenled into these remarks by a case which came before the Police Court this morning, in which Mrs. Lewis charged her husband, Constable Lewis, of the Naval Yard Police, with assault. We have no desire to comment upon the case, which is still sub judice, merely remarking, that if the "Book of books " commands husbands to love their wives and be not bitter towards them, it also says that it is port which it would not otherwise have morning by Mr. Wodehouse for having diseased better to live in a wilderness than in a house with or perish in the attempt. "Tim." We found good deal of diseased meat was sold clandestinely | charged her husband consisted of a kick in | and the dollar we sent him in fire-water, and Inspector, was held two or three days ago on a the course of a quarrel. Mrs. Lewis put in a criticising Sir John Pope Hennessy's public good time. Our well-meaning contem- pig which had died without having had its throat paper from Dr. Von der Horck supposed to be a cut by the butcher, and after a careful examina- certificate as to the injury inflicted by the kick, tion of the internal organs, the medico (we sup- but his Worship did not seem to be able to make pose he had a diploma) certified that the animal anything out of it, and remanded the case until had "kicked out "from exhaustion. We observe | Saturday for the evidence of the Doctor, who by the wording of the charge in the summons was ordered to be subporned. Lewis denied it was quite good enough for women. We Magistrate to order Mrs. Lewis to deliver up gets sober, to give him the sack. Being once "man" embraces both sexes, but we decline to lady stoutly refused to hand the door opener over dence which has already arrived from the seat

An American lawyer is said to have made a fortune variously estimated at five or eleven millions of dollars in a rather ingenious manner. He happened to notice that in a law passed by Congress for the regulation of the wool trade, the word "wool" had been accidentally omi...d from an important clause. He therefore made an offer to various wool merchants affected by the clause to bring a test action into the courts, on condition that he should receive a large percentage if the case was won. The case was wor. the judges holding that the courts had no right to suppose that Congress intended to insert words not in the Act, and the lawyer made his fortune accordingly.

A-rew facts respecting the marines and the dock yard personnel of France may not be uninteresting at the present juncture. The marine force consists of 20,237 men, of whom 11,716 are cm ployed on home service and the remainder in the colonies, the proportions being-home, 8,913 infantry, 2,803 artillery; colonies, 7,233 infantry, 1,288 artillery. Cherbourg is the depot for the first regiment of marine infantry, Brest for the second, Rochefort for the third, Toulon for the him, as I know that panthers and missionaries are fourth, while L'Orient is the head-quarters of the fond of babies (L'am fond of babies myself), artillety." At the end of last year 23,659 hands of all kinds were employed in the various dockyards, divided as follows :- Cherbourg, 4.363; Brest, 6,203; L'Orient, 5,255; Rochefort, 2,756; Toulon, 6,082; the remainder being apprortioned among the establishments of Indret Querigny, and Ruelle. The value of machinery and plant thus given in francs:-Cherbourg; 9,193-284, Brest, 15,129,946; L'Orient, 8,493,151: Rochefort, 7,298,546; Toulon, 14,309,270.

KWOK HUNG KWAI, a clerk in the service of the Colonial Government, was charged at the Police Court this morning by the Hon. J. Russell; Colonial Treasurer, with feloniously forging his (Mr. Russell's) name and that of the Accountant in the rates and taxes Department (Mr. Madar) to a receipt for Crown rent, on or about the 10th May last, with intent to defraud Her Majesty the Queen; and 2nd with feloniously uttering a forged receipt for Crown rent on or about the 18th of the same month with like intent. The defendant is, a notice server in the Treasury, and it appears he gave a receipt for \$72.88 for the Crown rent of Inland lots 655 and 656, making use of a seal upon which Mr. Russell's signature is engraved. Afterthe Colonial, Treasurer discovered the fact, he saw the defendant, who had been in the Treasury a year and a half, having been previously under Dr. Eitel when Chinese Secretary, and admitted taking the scal from Mr. Madar's table, and the blank form from Mr. Alvest drawer. He also admitted the receipt of the \$72.88 from Mr. Kwok Yun Shun on the 10th May: It was not part of his duty to collect taxes: He told Mr. Russell he had only done so once, and offered to pay back the amount. The case at this stage was remanded till Thursday the 6th proximo. Mr. Sharp, Crown Solicitor, appeared for the presecution.

KONG.

The black panther which made its escape

from Chiarini's Menagerie is still at large. (?) We

stated in our issue of Tuesday that we had, in the interests of our readers specially, and the public-generally, sent our "Special" on the war-path, with full instructions to do or die in the execution of a great public duty; we vigorously impressed on the mighty mind of the brave war rior that a return to Peddar's Hill before his mission had been satisfactorily completed would simply mean the "sack." We now furnish our readers with an account of what has already been done in this business, which, although the mission has hitherto been unsuccessful, we are yet confident of bringing to a satisfactory termination. On the evening of the day on which we started our "Special" we received a mysterious letter in a well-known hand, requesting us to forward more munitions for the expedition, as it was going to be of a more extensive character than was at first estimated. The letter THE troubles and disgusts of married life are wound up with the encouraging information that proverbial, and date from shortly after the period | our "Special" had found the trail, and was conwhen our first mother Eve was handed over in fident of success, and a request that a few luxuries and articles of wardrobe should be forwarded per bearer. We were not at all taken with the ous, not to say seedy, look of the messenger, However, we packed up a long pencil, reporting book, one paper collar, (the latter is all our Special's surplus wardrobe) a mutton bone and a bottle of square face, and handed them over. About three hours later we were handed another epistle which ran thus-: Am on it; have spotted the pantherical man-eater; hopo to collar him in a couple of hours-send dollar to pay for the carriage home of the brute's carcase-will have him dead or alive. pork, unfit for human food, in his shop. Inspector | a quarrelsome and passionate woman; not that we that our "Tim" had not served us well, that Orley, whose special duty it is to look after these mean to imply that Mrs. Lewis is either; we in fact he had sold us most shabbily. The matters, said that a large quantity of diseased | merely state the broad fact. The disclosures at | true version of his expedition is as follows:—Our meat had been in the Colony of late. The pig in the Police Court this morning shewed that the "Special," armed with all the pomp and dignity the present case had probably died, and then been twelve months' married life of the complainant of his position, journeyed down westward to taken to the shop to be roasted, a process which and defendant has been the reverse of a happy blood town, sold the war accoutrements we had removed all traces of disease. It was possible a one. The assault with which the lady supplied him with, melted the proceeds the wreck of my former self scribed to the scandalous and vilely slan- we will leave the oracle of the unco in the Colony. A post morten, according to the side and a slap in the face during got into a very quisby condition. Instead of taking to the hills around Wong-nel-cheong to look for the untameable one, our "Special" confined his searching to the hills of that romantic locality, yclept Tai-ping-shan. Tim turned up yesterday morning with his clothes in tatters (they were not first chop when he started). and an animal in custody which he swears is the in to-day's case, that it is said the cook-shop the assault, but Mrs. Lewis's amah corroborated panther. We recognised the beast at a glance-"man" which was unfit for such food, &c., face, The defendant was bound over in two Our anger would not allow us to smile at the &c. This would seem to imply that although sureties of \$25 each. A funny incident in the ludicrousness of the situation. We sent the goat unfit to be caten by the lords of creation, case was constable Lewis's appealing to the home, and are calmly waiting until our " Special" Hongkong public to say which is the hope this slur on the fairer portion of humanity the key of the house, as he said she had locked in it, we determined to carry out the hunt of the ill be at once removed by an alteration being the place up and taken the key, and therefore he man-eater to the bitter end. We at once sought made in the form of the charge in such cases. was unable to get his uniform to go on duty in: out fresh men for the expedition, and started. It may be argued by pedants that the term Mr. Wodehouse declined to interfere, and the them on the trail. We append the correspon-

DEAR SIRK-Your newly appointed "Tiger Special " begs to hand you a report giving the result of his nocturnal expedition in search of the panther. Upon receiving your very flattering letter respecting my abilities as a tiger catcher. and your handsome offer for my services, I at once made up my mind that I would be there or thereabouts. Having had some experience in the art of pig sticking in N. Z., I considered that I had a fair prospect of success. The first night I started with one five-chambered breech loading Deane & Adams, and a Japanese fan dagger. I called in at the Circus on my way down to the scene of action, and obtained all-the information I could with regard to the spoor. also interviewed the panther's mate, who wished me, in his own peculiar way," God speed." I then looked in on the performance, and if I did forget, for a moment, my special mission it was—all on account of Eliza .- I mean, all on account of Miss Ida Stoodley, that bewitching young lady and most excellent artiste having shot me, en passant, in her aerial flight, with a glance of one millionth of a second duration. At last I started by callingon Mr. Burch, Stag bar, and borrowing a baby from particularly champagne babies. I had consulted several Sports as to the most likely locality to find the brute; they were unanimous in declaring that the animal must be looked for on the eastern slope of the racecourse. I took the information for what it was worth, but my own experience being large, I declined to follow the kindly advice. In short, knowing the catlike habits of the "critter," I concluded I must look for him on the slope of some roof, and the roof of the tent appeared to me to be the very place. I therefore left my Deane and Adams, with Mr. Birch, and borrowed a bootjack from Signor Chiarini, scaled the mammoth building, and traversed the apex of the lofty pile; it was about 1 a.m. when I finished circumnavigating it. Having observed no sign or trail of the departed beast, I tumbled off the roof into a ricksha and resolved to try the Happy Valley. Having got as far as the cemetery, our philosopher and friend who piloted the engine, positively refused to go any further. I expostulated and threatened with my usual vehemence, but in vain. I finally jumped out, held the butt end of the revolver against the recalcitrant Celestial, and informed him he must either do or die, as I wanted his cart to bring back the panther. "At this he howled, and falling on his knees implored me and his Joss to save him. I thought of my sisters and cousins and aunts, and Miss Stoodley, and a softer feeling came over me; so I dismissed the coolie with my blessing (spoken in the purest French) and set out on foot. After walking round the Course my eyes became heavy, and remembering the uncarthly groans of my car-driver, I concluded that it was worse than folly to think of getting a sight of the panther that night. After swallowing the baby, I determined to wend my steps homeward and go on another tack the following evening. [We must confess to being somewhat mystified by the report of our "Special." However, as his respectability has been vouched for by a bankrupt big firm Compradore, and a long moustached house property speculator, who both came to grief over the late property bubble, we suppose he, (our Special) is perfectly trustworthy.-Ed. H.K. T.]

The following came to our hands this morning: The second expedition in quest of the panther has been accomplished by your Special. In addition to the implements used on the previous night, I armed myself with a Martini Henry and a Gatling gun. It is evident from the above that I meant business. I looked in again at the Circus for a little while before starting on my errand of blood. The Japanese performer was spinning tops, which put me to sleep as soundly as the tops he, the Jap, was manipulating. I slept; I dreamt; I distinctly heard the growl and saw the eyes of the panther as he stood to dispute my right of road. I 'awoke with a start, and found that the growl was the growl of Charini, and the eyes were the eyes of Miss Stoodley. I blushed and silently slunk out of the arena and, after a stiff " nip," started for the bush. With the exception of two or three ghosts, I did not meet a single living soul. 'Arrived at the gates of the Zoro Cemetery, I decided to make a bec line for the black rock, where I intended to plant the Gatling and locate myself for the night, After jumping a brook 45ft, wide, and wading for a mile across the race-course up to my waist in the swamp, I struck the bed rock, or the rock I intended for my bed. Then, "On that rock reclining" I awaited with anxiety the advent of the brute for whose blood I was thirsting. At precisely 62 minutes past midnight the beast hove in sight about 300 yards up the road, and leaping on to the Course made tracks in the direction of Bowrington, "Ye Gods," now was the winter of my discontent made glorious summer by this Son of a Gun; I got the Gatling into position and also the Martini. The parither had arrived within 150 yards of me, and I fired the two guns simultaneously, but alas, there was no report; Great Cresar! I had forgotten to load the guns, in fact had forgotton to bring any ammunition with me. I draw a veil over subsequent proceedings; I arrived home at 3 a.m.

I hope to be able to report more favorably of my 3rd expedition.

[The first report of our "Special," as previously stated somewhat mystified us, and raised misgivings in our mind which we could not altogether quell. Deeming that all was not O.K., we thought it best, under the circumstances, to try a grand and accordingly interviewed "Wild Ike" the prairie hunter, U.S. scout, and famous sharpshooter. We found that the "Colonel" had already been on the war park, and was bent on tempting fortune once again. In fact

it appears that our "Special" had arranged with "iko" to go a double header and huntil the beast together. This was certainly reassuring but our beating licart would not rest contented) we left we should be there to see the expedition start . We went to the Circus last night and are able to place the following before bur readers. Our " Special " did not turn up,

so his yarn about the 45ft. brook business and The mile of swamp, up to his waist in water, is all bunkum. We have heard that the brave hearted fellow who came to us so well recommended, has been hiding for two days in the Have end of the bowling alleys of the Hongkong Hotel, being afraid to venture out lest he should meet with our justifiable wrath. W are sadly afraid that our second panther "Special" is no better, worse, in fact, than our first one, and take this opportunity to remind him, that our clump-soled ones are in good condition, so let him beware. At a few minutes before midnight, Colonel Ike Austin started on the "hunt." The Colonel held his uncring rifle in his dexter paw while he gave us the outline of his campaign, describing the varying positions with his facile left hand, which is, by the way, about as large as a decent sized flitch of bacon. After a few modest remarks, in which the Colonel spoke rather slightingly, and not without good cause, of the want of pluck of our mean-spirited Special, Ike, whose experience in panther hunting is not so slight as the want of decency and truthfulness is in the man who edits the Fried Fish Wrapper, said; "You see, Mr. Fraser-Smith, this sort of animal is just the sort of skunk to cart off the calf from a farmyard one night, and come back for the cow the next eyening. I have got a grunter (small pig) tied. up outside, and I mean to take him up to the brook, where the 'painter! (American method of pronouncing panther) is sure to come for water, let him (the pig) loose there, and wait for an eventuation." A "bowie" was in the. Colonel's belt, one of the sort with which Ike is able to cut quickly, sharply and deeply; a cartridge pouch was in the adjacent vicinity of the knife, and altogether the tout ensemble was A.I. We shook the grand old fellow by the hand and wished him "God speed," The Colonel vowed he would "fetch" the "painter" this time, or-give him best. A tear drop had worked its passsage from the eyes of the veteran yaffler, and hung trembling on the tip of his proboscis as we gave him a final hand shake and saw him depart into the, dark beyond. We are not in a position to state what transpired living the lone watches of the night, as we have not seen the Colonel this morning. However, we hope he is O.K. To make matters doubly sure, we made the round of the race-course last night before, returning home, our only arms being a pretty fair specimen of a stick, and a copy of the Morning Mandler and Evening Hotel. We are sure of our safety when thus protected, as one sight of either of theprints named, would not only make a panther cry percavi, but would make the celebrated Giascoutous of mythical fame, fly with pestiferous velocity from our presence. Should anything further of a startling nature occur in connection with the missing panther, a breathless universe, as represented by the community of the sacred city of Hongkong, will be in-

SHANGHAI TURE NOTES.

Telegraph.]

formed of all that transpires. -Ed. Hongkong

A most oppressive morning prevented owners from giving their ponies the amount of galloping which they would otherwise have done, bu there were some few owners_who_realised_the absolute necessity of some fast work, even at this early period of the training, in order to prevent their old ponics from getting too gross. First Cornet. Wild Dash, White Knight,

Pelham, Incubus, Black Thorn, Sweet Briar, Helios, and some few others galloped quarters, White Knight being the victor, so far as time is in no way has this handsome pony lost his day, the 5th September, at 3.30 P.M. wonderful turn of speed.

The work at the Judge's Box is progressing slowly. I understand that it is in contemplation by the Stewards, in deference to representations provide special accommodation for the Press, so that every opportunity may be afforded for securing accurate reports of race meetings. This is of no small importance, and the Stewards deserve the best thanks of all concerned for their action in the matter.

The pony to which I referred as having been sweated the other day, appeared on the Course this morning, looking as well as could be expected under the circumstances. - Courier.

CORRESPONDENCE.

tWe do not necessarily endorse the opinions expressed by Correspondents in this column.]

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG TRINGRAPH."

DEALING WITH A LIAR.

Sin,—The courageously persistent, but unfortunately not entirely successful efforts on your part to guide the China Mail to the paths of truth, are certainly deserving of commendation, and no doubt receive the earnest sympathy, of all the fair dealing intelligence within the colony. But instead of openly exposing the evening paper's peccadilloes in the manipulation of facts, would it not be a more efficacious plan to "lie like truth" and then enter-the field as a rival to this local Munchausen? It has been said, and probably with more than a modicum of justice, that the best way to deal with an inveterate twister of the truth is to beat him at his own

game. "Strike the lyre" by outdoing his most outrageous lies, and then you are almost certain either to convert him, or to force him into retirement. I confess that there is a possibility that this manocuvre might not be so successful with the editor of a pious newspaper as it would be with ordinary mortals; still it may be worth a trial. I remember reading in an American paper about a Yankee who had been to Europe, and who was telling a friend, who knew he was a 5 P.M. Money Order Office closes. Post Office liar, about his trip across the Atlantic, and how, on the 25th of the month, "they encountered a swarm of locusts, and the locusts carried away ever titch of canvas off the ship." The listener looket thoughtful a moment, and then said, hesi-

tatingly, "Yes, I guess we met the same swarm of locusts the next day, the 26th. Every locust had on a pair of canvas pants." The first liar went around a corner and kicked himself. Yours, &c.,

ARGUS. Hongkong, 31st August, 1881.

BAND NIGHTS AT THE PUBLIC GARDENS.

TO THE EUTOR OF THE "HONGKONG TRIEGRAPH." SIR,—I wish you would suggest to the authorities in your valued paper that it would tend greatly to the comfort of a large number of residents who attend at the Public Gardens on the evenings when the capital band of "The Buffs" is playing, if a few extra seats were provided. This, I think, was done in former times when these promenade concerts were of more frequent occurrence than has been the case lately. It is a provision which is very badly wanted, as a great many ladies and gentlemen have to keep walking about for a considerable time, owing to not being able to find a vacant seat, and you know, in this hot weather, too much walking, especially for ladies, is anything but a joke. Most of the garden seats are occupied the whole evening by Chinese, who come early and take possession before the Europeans arrive. I may also say that, although I have no objections to the Chinese visiting the Gardens on band nights, and do not, dispute their right to occupy the seats, it would be as well if they could be taught some of the usages of civilised society. I refer particularly to a habit the Celestials have of placing their feet on the seats, and conspicuously—I had almost written indecently-scratching their legs. I need not describe this habit, as it must be well know to every person who visits the Gardens. If it be true, as is alleged, that numbers of ladies refuse to go to the Gardens on account of this nuisance, I think something might be done to make the Chinese understand that when they mix with Europeans, they must leave their, piggish manners outside the gates. We all enjoy these musical treats, and as the Officers of the regiment are so kind as to allow their band to give these promenade concerts for the benefit of the community, I do not think I am asking too much in expecting the authorities to make arrangements so that the most enjoyable of our summer recreations may be indulged in with comfort, and without our ladies having their feelings shocked by having to witness indecencies of the kind mentioned.

MUSICIAN.

Hongkong, 31st August, 1882.

"THAMES-STREET INDUSTRIES," by Percy Russell. This Illustrated Pamphlet on Perlamery, &c., published at 6d., may be had gratis from any Chemist or dealer in perfumery, in the World, or JOHN GOSNELL & Co., London. [ADVT.]

Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For/Saigon .= Per Peneilo, to-day, the 31st instant, at 5 P.M. For Swatow.—Per China, to-morrow, the 1st

September, at 7.30 A.M. For Swatow .- Per Kavangtung, to-morrow, the ist instant, at 7.30 A.M.

For Kebe and Yokohama.—Per, Sumida Marie, to-morrow, the 1st September, at 3.30 P.M. For Nagasaki and Yokohama.-Per Geelong, on Saturday, the 2nd September, at 11.30 A.M.

For Straits and Bombay.—Per Sunda, on Saturday, the 2nd September, at 3.30 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, & Foodhow.-Per Namoa; on Saturday, the 2nd September, at 5 P.M.

For Straits, Colombo, Bombay, Aden, Sucz, 4th September, at 3.30 P.M.

For Brisbane, Sydney, and Melbourne,-Per | invited to inspect the show rooms. Hungarian, on Monday, the 4th September, at

For Foothow, Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melconcerned; viz., under 28 seconds, shewing that bourne, &c., &c., &c., &c.-Per Tannadice, on Tues-

The Postal Guide published in 1879 being now somewhat out of date, a revised issue is printed in the Hongkong Directory and Hong which were made to them at the last meeting, to List-for-the Far East for 1882, which supersedes all previous editions.

> MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The Mails per British Contract Packet "THI-BET" will be closed on THURSDAY, the 31st instant, to and through the United Kingdom and Europe via Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. 11

N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the Australasian Colonics.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet "DJEMNAH" will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 7th September, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India (via Madras), the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing

HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. His Excellency the Administrator has been pleased to approve of the following Hours for closing the English Mails till further notice, on the days mentioned below :-

Thursday, August 31st. 3.00 P.M. -Money Order Office closes. 4.00 P.M - Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 5.00 P.M.—Mails closed, except for Late Letters.

to cents until 30 P.M .- when the Post Office closes entirely. 6.00 P.M.-Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with late fee of 10 cents, and news. papers without late fee, until 9.30 P.M., when the Supplementary Mail will be closed; Circulars will be returned to the Post Office. After 9.30 P.M. Letters may be placed in the Loose Box for treatment at Singapore.

THE FRENCH MAIL DAY BEFORE DEPARTURE. closes, except the night box, which is always ing items of late news, such as telegrams, local -open out of office hours.

DAY OF DEPARTURE. 7. A.M., Post Office opens. to A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. II A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee

of to cents until. 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fce of 10 Cents until time of departure.

-To-day's Advertisements.

THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

NIOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CAN'TON will be held at the Company's Office Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 18th day of September, 1882, at THREE O'CLOCK in the AFTERNOON, when the subjoined resolution will be proposed. RESOLUTION.

That this Company, now registered under the Companies Ordinance No. 1 of 1865 as an unlimited Company, be registered under the Companies Ordinances No. 1 of 1865 to 1881 as a Company Limited by shares, By Order of the Board,

DOUGLAS JONES, Acting Secretary. Dated Hongkong, 30th day of August, 1882.

TO BE LET. (WITH POSSESSION ON IST OF OCTOBER NEXT.)

THAT LARGE AND COMMODIOUS HOUSE, No. 14, Arbuthnot Road, at present in the occupation of Dr. FISHER.

J. A. DE CARVALHO. Hongkong, 31st August, 1882. . . PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, TO-MORROW. the 1st September, 1882, at THREE P.M.,

on the Premises .-ALL that PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND; abutting on the North on Hollywood Road 19 feet, on the South 19 feet, on the East side on a close registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 256C, measuring thereon 60 feet, and on the West side on a close registered in the Land Office as IN-

LAND LOT No. 256E, measuring thereon 60' feet, which said Piece or Parcel of GROUND contains in the whole 1,140 square feet, and is registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 256D. For the Residue of 999 years from the 4th December, 1854. Yearly Crown Rent, \$14.88. Together with the HOUSES No. 132 in Hollywood Road, and No. 35, Square Street.

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J. M. GUEDES, Hongkong, 31st August, 1882.

Untimations.

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No. 60, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Hongkong, and June, 1882. SUN SHING.

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No. 62, QUEEN'S ROAD, CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 1st May, 1882. N A. M. OLD AND SILVERS MITH, WATCH MAKER.

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No. 72, WELLINGTON STREET, HONGKONG. Hongkong, 6th April, 1882.

NOTICE.

DOOKBINDING AND RULING IN ALL ITS D BRANCHES EXECUTED AT VERY LOW RATES AT THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH " OFFICE.

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COAL of the best quality, at moderate rates; also has always Powerful Steam Launches for Hire at a Reasonable Charge, either for special Purposes, Excursions, or Towing. Hongkong, 13th April, 1882.

YEU QUA CHIP, PORTRAIT, AND MINIATURE PAINTER. PHOTOGRAPHIC VIEWS.

LANDSCAPES IN OIL AND WATER COLORS. All Work Executed by First-Class Artists. LVORY MINIATURES A SPECIALITE. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of No. 52, C., QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, UPSTAIRS. HONGKONG. Hongkong, 4th April, 1882. IMPORTANT NOTICE.

> T N descrence to the wishes of a large number of subscribers we have determined on and after MONDAY, July 24th to issue the "HONG-KONG TELEGRAPH " SPECIAL ADVERTISE MENT SHEET at Noon instead of as at present. Several important alterations will also

be made in the get-up of the sheet. In addition to the usual shipping information all the interestoccurrences, &c., will be published. A special report of share and other important business un to 11.30 A.M. will appear daily in the SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENT SHEET. Advertisements for the morning sheet, which are inserted without extra charge, must be handed in not later than II A.M. The SPECIAL ADVERTISEMENT SHEET is issued GRATIS to all the Mercantile and Shipping! Houses, Chinese Hongs, and places of public resort, and is the Best and Cheapest Advertising Medium in the Colony.

"HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" OFFICE, 6, PEDDAR'S HILL Hongkong, 22nd July, 1882.

Amusements.

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THE IMPERIAL SHIMADZU JAPANESE TROUPE.

IN THE MONSTER PAVILION AT THE

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NTRODUCING MANY STARTLING NOVELTIES.

TONIGHT, THURSDAY, THE 31ST AUGUST.

Mdlle. LOTTA, the Lady with the Teeth of Steel, or the Female Sampson, in her Extraordinary Act of Mandibular Strength, and the Vampire Flight across the whole Pavilion.

THISEVENING. THE WHITE MARBLE STATUARY, or Classical, Historical Groups and Colossal Pyramid, by the FAUST FAMILY, assisted by the Brothers WALHALLA.

EVENING, THE WILD COMANCHE INDIAN, on the War Path with Club and Tomahawk, riding on his furious mustang in the Prairies Nebraska, impersonated by Mr. F. WATSON and Mr. ANGELO.

THE UNRIVALLED SARONY IN A NEW CARNIVAL OF FRIVOLOUS SKETCHES, FUN AND FROLIC.



CHIARINI'S MAGNIFICENT STUD OF TWENTY-EIGHT TRAINED HORSES.

EVENING, Monsieur and Mdme. DENIS' First Visit to the Riding School, in these Scenes, will be introduced for the first time the New Invention of Signor Chiarini.

Signor CHIARINI has invented a New Vehicle or Bycicle which is well adapted for pleasure trips during the hot weather and for travellers to Causeway Bay, the Protective Society against common rotation has rewarded Signor CHIARINI with a Gold Medal for this curious and peculiar invention.

EVENING, THE GREAT AMERICAN BAREBACKED RIDER, MASTER CHARLES WATSON.

> THIS EVENING, THE FAMOUS, ITALIAN, HORSE "GARIBALDI,"

THE FLYING N.-Z. TONY "BONITO,"-LEAPING-OVER-TWO-HORSES, INTRODUCED BY THEIR TRAINER, SIGNOR CHIARINI.

> THIS EVENING THE ROYAL BENGAL TIGERS AND THE TAMER.

GRAND JAPANESE CURRICULUM, By Kagami-Sentaro, Yochimatz, Koinosuke, Uyehora, Kichigoro, Minechike and Nakamura.

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Hongkong, 4th April, 1882.

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(MR. MOORE'S OFFICE). where Tickets will be on Sale TO-DAY and DAILY from 9.00 A.M. till 4.00 P.M., accommodating Parties who may wish to Secure Seats in advance.

Doors open at Eight o'Clock. The performance will commence at Nine o'Clock punctually, Hongkong, 31st August, 1882.

Intimations.

AND R. TENNENT'S ALE AND PORTER DAVID CORSAR & SONS!

" MERCHANT NAVY NAVY BOILED CANVAS. LONG FLAX CROWN --ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.... Hongkong, 15th-June, 1881. [458

MERCHANT TAILOR, HAT, & CAP MAKER.

I men's Scarves, Collars, Ties, Socks, Hats, &c., &c. Dealer in Chinese Silks of all kinds. Bamboo Blinds, Mattings of own Manufacture. poses, Excursions, &c., &c., CHEAPER than any Hongkong. Terms can be learnt on application. China Teapors in bamboo covers, Rattan Chairs, other House in the Trade. Silk Coats a Specialité, a perfect fit and best material guaranteed.

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Intimations.

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Quentin DurwardSir Walter Scott.

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Two Years before the MastR. H. Dana. Artemus Ward His Book..... Artemus Ward His Travels..... Old Mortality......Sir Walter Scott. The Surgeon's Daughter..... Bride of Lammermoor..... Fair Maid of Perth

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A Stroke of DiplomacyVictor Cherbuliez.
The Yellow Mark......Wilkie Colling. All Alone André Theuriet. John A. Dreams Onward to the Heights of Life...... History of Fanchild Family Mrs. Sherwood.

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Beginning AgainLouisa M. Allcott, Books Marked thus * are illustrated. ALL THE ABOVE

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TWENTY-FIVE

HAIR DRESSING SALOON HONGKONG HOTEL

W. P. MOORE begs to inform the Gentle-men of Hongkong and Visitors that he P. MOORE begs to inform the Gentlehas reduced the price of Hair-Cutting to 50 cents. Having now in his employ three competent Assistants who are always in attendance, he guarantees to execute this class of work, in all its branches, with a perfection which cannot be excelled in any part of the World.

Hair-Cutting......50 Cents. Shaving25 Cents. Trimming Beards25 Cents.

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Commercial.

THIS DAY.

4. o'clock p.m. A very large business has been done in Banks to-day at 125 per cent. premium, for eash, a fall of 3 points since yesterday, and there are still sellers at the reduced figure. Docks have risen one point, and a fair business for eash has been done; .. more shares are wanted at quotation--China-Sugars-have advanced to \$190 per. -share, without inducing holders to part-. No other transactions have come under

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-125 per cent. premium, sales and sellers. Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$1,600 per share, buyers.

China Traders' Insurance Company-\$1,560 per share, sellers. North-China-Insurance-Tls._r,225_per_share._

Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$80 per Yangisze Insurance Association-Tls. 870 per

Chinese Insurance Company-\$255 per share,

On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 150 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$1025 per

China Fire Insurance Company-\$320 per share. Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company-48 per cent. premiuni, ex div. buyers.

Hongkoog, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co. 2-\$29 per share premium, sellers. Hongkong Gas Company-\$85 per share. Hongkong, Hotel Company-\$107 per share,

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—par, sales.

Chinal Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$190 per/share, buyers. China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)-3

per cent, premium. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$130 per share, bayers.

Hongkong Ice Company-\$145 per share, buyers Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$60 per share. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1878-11 per cent. prem

Chinese Imperial Loan-of-1881-23 percent. prem EXCHANGE.

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OPIUM MARKET .-- TIIIS DAY.

NEW MALWAper picul, \$620 (Mlowance, Taels 56.) OLD MALWA per picul, \$680 (Allowance, Taels 56.)

New Patna (first choice) per chest, \$5934 New Patna (bottom).....per chest, \$596\frac{1}{2} Old PATNA (bottom)per chest, \$5821/2 NEW BENARES (without choice) per

NEW BENARES (bottom) ... per chest, \$5661 PERSIAN.....per picul, \$410

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE: (FROM MISSES, FALCONER' & Co.'s REGISTER). YESTERDAY. . .

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Shipping.

August'30, ESMERALDA, British steamer, 395, R. Talbot, Manila (25th August, and Amoy. 29th, General.-Russell & Co. August 30, CHI-YUEN, Chinese steamer, 1,193, F. Wallace, Shanghai 27th August, General.— C. M. S. N. Co.

August 30, DANUBE, British steamer, 561, James Jordan, Bangkok 23rd August, General,-Yuen Fat Hong. August -31, OLYMPIA, German steamer, 788,

Wagner, Saigon 20th August, Rice,-Chi-August 31, NAMOA, British steamer, 862, Geo. -Westoby, Foochow-27th August, Amoy 28th, and Swatow 30th, General.-D. Lapraik

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Kroanglung, British steamer, for Swatow. Marie, American bark, for Bangkok.

August 30, SALTEE, French str., for Haiphong. August 31, ANTON, German steamer, for Touron. August 31, CONSOLATION, British steamer, for

August 31, DEUTEROS, German str., for Saigon August 31, ALBAY, British steamer, for Amoy. August 31, FOOKSANG, British str., for Shanghai. August 31, CHI-YUEN, Chinese str., for Canton.

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED. Per Olympia, str., from Saigon,-50 Chinese. Per Danube, str., from Bangkok.-59 Chinese. Per Esmeralda, str., from Manila, &c .- Mrs.

Barnard and 2 children, Don C. Reina, and J. W. Terry, and 38 Chinese. Per Chi-yuen, str., from Shanghai.-Messrs. Crowell, McDonald, and Harrold, and 30 Chi-

Per Namoa, str., from Foochow, &c .- Mrs. Lowe, Miss Handley, 5 Europeans deck, and 54

Per Thibet, str., from Hongkong for Venice. -Mr. G. S. Montgomery. From Shanghai.-Mr. and Mrs. Hurst, 2 children, and native servant, for London. From Yokohama. - Commander A. C. Corry, R.N., and Lieutenant F. G. de Lisle,

Per Knoungfung, str., for Swatow.-: European and too Chinese. Per Marie, for Bangkok.- 1 Chinese.

The Chinese steamship Chi-yuen reports lest Shanghai on the 27th instant. Had light breezes land fine weather. The German steamship Olympia reports left Saigon on the 29th instant. Had splendid wea-

ther and light Northerly winds. The British steamship Danube reports left Bangkok on the 23rd instant. Had light N.E., winds and calms all the passage.

The British steamship Esmeralda reports lest Manila on the 25th instant, and Amoy on the 29th. Had light variable winds and fine weather.

The British steamship Namoa reports left Foochow on the 27th instant, Amoy on the 28th, and Swatow on the 30th, and experienced moderate and light winds and fine weather throughout. In Foochow the steamships Hungarian, Norden, Haeshin, Thates, and H.M. gunboat Lily. In Amoy the steamship Picciola. In Swatow the Keelung and Marlborough.

NAGASARI SHIPPING.

arrivals. August-13, Tokio Maru, Japan. str., from Shanghai. 13, Wandrahm, German str., from Shanghai. 13, Hugo & Otto, Norw. bark, from Tientsin... 13. Oaklands, British steamer, from Shanghai 14, Nagoya Maru, Japan. str., from Kobe. 15, Sea Swallow, British bark, from Shanghai. 17, Clara, German Bark, from Shanghai. 18, Cenkai Maru, Japan. str., from Shanghai. 18, Tyne, British steamer, from Shanghal.

August DEPARTURES. 11, Caroline, German schooner, for Tientsin. 12, Queen of India, British bark, for Kobe. 12, Tsuruga Maru, Japan. steamer, for Kobe. 13, Tokio Mary, Japan. steamer, for Kobe. 15, Nagoya Maru, Japan. str., for Shanghai. 15, Kiinokuni Maru, Japan. bk., for Y'kohama. 16, Oaklands, British steamer, for Shanghai. 17. Batavia, British bark, for Shanghai. 18, Flying Fish, British gun-vessel, for Corea. 18, Gerikai Maru, Japan, steamer, for Kobe.

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VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG. (Corrected to Date). RockhurstCardiffApril 22

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Gloamin	New York	May
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Agnes Muir	London	June
Agnes Muir Vortsetzen	Glasgow	June
Frederike	Penarth	June
Frederike Iquique	Liverpool	June
Dambrovachire (a.)	Glasgow	InlV
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Marianne	Cardiff	July
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THE ENGLISH MAIL : The P. & O. S. N. Go.'s steamship Ganges, with the incoming English mail, left Singapore for this port on the 27th instant at 8 a.m., and -may-be expected here on or about the 31st

The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s steamer Moray left Singapore on the 26th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 1st September. The steamship Loudon Castle left Singapore on the 27th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 1st September.

Th O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Cyclops left Singapore on the afternoon of the 26th instant, and isdue here on or about the 1st proximo.

The steamship Pembrokeshire left Singapore on the 30th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 4th proximo.

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STEAMERS.

August 20, ACTIV, Danish steamer, 268, N. (Revebeck, Haiphong 15th August, Rice .-C. M. S. N. Co. August 28, ÆGEAN, British steamer, 749, Thomas, Saigon 24th August, Rice and Paddy.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

'August 15, Asia, Danish steamer, 880, Djorup, Reclung 13th August, Coals. Jardine, Ma-August 21, Hel.Gic, British steamer, H. Davison, San Francisco 22nd July, and Yokohama

14th August, General.+O. & O. S. S. Co. August 27, CAIRNSMUIR, British steamer, 1,123, G. L. Castle, San Francisco 21st July, and Honolulii 4th August, General.-Holliday,

August 26, Canorus, British steamer, 1,818, R H. Joy, Departure Bay, Vancouver's Island 23rd July, Coals.—Russell & Co. August 30, CHINA, German str., 648, H. Schoer, Swatow 29th August, General.—Yuen Fat

August 28, CITY OF PEKING, British steamer, 5,079, G. G. Burry, San Francisco 1st August, and Yokohama 22nd, Mails and

General.-P. M. S. S. Co. June 29, CLIFTON, British steamer, 1,717, H. F. Holt, Newcastle 6th June, Coals,-Borneo August 26, Diamante, British steamer, 514, R.

Cullen, Amoy 24th August, General,-Rus-Faine, British steamer, 117, Stopani (tug plying) Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. August 28, FELICIA, German steamer, 860, A. Muller, Chefoo 22nd August, Beans, -Siems-

senia Co. August 10, GEELONG, British steamer, 1,139, W. . Webber, Bombay 23rd July, General.-. & O. S. N. Co. April 14, HONGKONG, British steamer, 67-

. Kwok Acheong & Sons. August 30, Kwangtung, British steamer, 674, M. Young, Swatow 29th August, General.-D. Lapraik & Co. August 17, LIDO, British steamer, 640, Lewis, Bangkok 8th August, Rice. - Yuen Fat Hong.

August 28, MADRAS, British str., 1,068, Bradley, Antwerp 4th June, and Manila 24th August, General.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. August 24, NAM-VIAN, French steamer, 435, Garceau, Hoihow 23rd August, General.-Shing

August 29, Ningpo, British steamer, 761, Cass, Shanghai 26th August, General.—Siemssen July 10, PASIG, Spanish steamer, 284, F. Urribe,

Manila 7th July, Ballast.—Remedios & Co. August 30, PEKING, British steamer, 954, Drewes, Canton 29th August, General. - Siemssen August 15, PENEDO, British, steamer, 652, Kenderdine, Saigon 10th August, General,-

Melchers & Co. Nov. 24, SEA GULL, American steamer, 48, Hayden.-China Traders' Insurance Co. August 17, SUAL, British steamer, 259, Parker, Touron 14th August, Sugar.-Melchers &

August 29; SUNDA, British steamer, 1,029, S. F. Cole, Yokohama and Hiogo, 19th August, Mails and General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. August 27, Sumida Maru, Japanese str., 820, H. Hubenet, Kobe 20th August, and Nagasaki 22nd, General.-Mitsu Bishi M. S. S. Co. August 24, TANNADICE, British steamer, 2,183, S. G. Green, Sydney 29th July, and Port Dar win 10th August, General.-Gibb, Livingston

August 29, THIBET, British steamer, 1,671, W. C. Thompson, Shanghai 26th August, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. August 27, VORWAERTS, Austro-Hungarian str.,

1,610, Egger, Trieste 1st July, and Singapore 20th August, General.-Melchers & Co. August 20, VORWAERTS, German steamer, 611, Boysen, Haiphong 15th August, and Hoihow 19th, General.—Wieler & Co. June 23, YOTTUNG, British steamer, 286, H. Kennett, Quangai 19th June, General.-

Kwok Acheong & Sons. SAILING VESSELS. May 20, ALVA, l'ortuguese ship, 632, E. de Souza,

Singapore 24th April, General, -Brandao August 12, Andreas, Gennan bark, 424, F. Hoyer, Newchwang 29th July, Beans.-Siemssen & Co. August 10, Anna, German bark, 447, N. Jessen,

July 31, BEATRICE, British schooner, 66, Willianis, Yap Lith July, General.—Captain. August, 28, Boniro, German bark, 524, H.

Hanse, Hamburg 17th April, General .-August 13, BUA CAAO, Siamese bark, 338, C. Lange, Bangkok 1st August, General.-Yuen

August 18, CARL GERHARD, German bark, 331, F. Suhr, Bangkok 4th August, General .-Ed. Schellhats & Co. August 29, CAROLINE BEHN, German bark, 672, C. Hasenhauser, Hamburg 28th April, Gene-

ral.-Siemssen & Co. August 28, CENTAUR, German bark, 468, C. Offerens, Newcastle, N.S.W., 7th June, Cont. -Russell & Co.

August 2, ELLAS. THAYER, Amer. ship, 1,098, D. O. Davis, Cardiff 15th March, Coals. Russell & Co. June 23, EMBLEM, British ship, 1,152, W. Roberts, Cardiff 23rd February, Coal.—Russell

August, 13, ERL KONIG, Ger. bark, 456, Nausch, Chefoo 4th August, General .- Siemssen August 20, ERIN'S ISLE, British ship, 1,798, J. Fleming, Cardiff 22nd April, Coal,-Gibb, Livingston & Co.

lugust 17, Esperance, French bark, 272, H. Le Normant, Newchwang 3rd August, Beans,-Carlowitz & Co. August 13, FRANCES & AMANDA, German bark, 369, H. Borgward, Kamput 1st August,

General.-Wieler & Co. July 12, HANSA, German bark, 499, Deneker, S. Ridgeway, American bark, 770 (Townsend)-- Hamburg 26th February, General.-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. August 25, H., PRINTZENBERG, German bark,

554, A. Schoenemann, Rajang 12th August, Timber.-Melchers & Co. August 7, Invincible; American ship, 1,460, Shukland, Cardiff and April, Coal.-Order. August 10, Livingston, German bark, 531, H. Steffens, Newchwang 15th July, Beans and General -- Arnhold, Karperg & Co. July 27, MAHEL, American bark, 783, Snow,

New York 6th March, Oll.—Russell & Co. uly 26, MACENTA, British brigantine 327, H. -Coalyent, Freemantle, W.A., 25th June, Sandalwood, Jardine, Matheson & Co. August 10, MARIE, German bark, 430, Thomaschewski. Chefoo 21st July, General. -Melchers & Co. uly 28, MELDRED, British bark, 867, Light-

August 30, MINERVA, German brig, 319, P. Duhme, Whampoa 28th August, General. Melchers & Co. August 15, NEARCHUS, American bark, 1,287, Empire, American ship, 1,150 (Snow) Order N. H. Swap, Cardiff 26th April, Coal.

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wood.-Slemsson & Co.

body, London 14th April, General.—Russell-

(Continued.) July 16, PAUL JONES, American ship, 1,258, E. A. Gerrish, New York 23rd March, General. June 7, PAUL, German bark, 744, Klefoth, Ham-

HONGKONG-SAILING VESSELS.

burg 16th December, General.-Carlowitz. July 17, P. J. CARLETON, American bark, 986, J. A. Amsbury, Cardiff and February, Coal .-Order.

August 9, PRIMA DONNA, American ship, 1,450, Hatch, Manila 19th June, Sugar and Hemp. August 21, PROSPERITY, Siamese bark, 476, D. Michaelsen, Bangkok 11th August, General.

🚣 Chinése. August 26, RUTHIN, British ship, 1,187, R. B. Monkman, Penarth 9th May, Coal. - Borneo Co., Limited.

August 11, SAN FRANCISCO, German bark 251, Ah. Oltmanns, Newchwang 24th July, Beans. -Siemssen & Co. August 10, SEA WITCH, American ship, 1,288, John H. Drew, Hiogo 24th July, General.—

Russell & Co. July 15, S. R. BEARER, American bark, 607, A. D. Barnard, Newcastle 5th May, Coal.-Eds Schellhass & Co. August 3, SURPRISE, American ship, 499, C. B. Averill, Newcastle, N.S.W., Coals,-Arn-

hold, Karberg & Co. August 20, TELEGRAPH, Siamese bark, 522, A. H. de Campos, Bangkok 9th August, Sapanwood .- Chinese. August 29, Victor, British bark, 402, James Forbes, Freemantle 24th June, Sandalwood,

-Siemssen & Co. CANTON.

August 24: HAINAN, British str., 284, Mooney, Holhow 23rd August, General.-Along and Shing Loong.

WHAMPOA.

July 13. CATHERINE MARDEN, British 3-m. sch. a 287 Marden, Newchwang 5th June, Beans and General.—Wieler & Co. August 1, ST. IDEUC, French bark, 388, J. Du-

rand, Quinhon 22nd July, General.-Car-

AMOY. In Port on 26th August, 1882.

Assens, Danish bark, 255. (Vandel)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Carl Wilhelm, Danish bark, 239 (Lautrup)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Foochow, Siamese brig, 330 (Guldberg)-Chi-

Friedrich, German 3-m. schooner, 295 (Petersen) .—Pasedag & Co. H. Bremer, German bark, 332 (Bremer)—Pase-Malvina-German-bark, 480 (Kluge)-Pasedag

Mozart, German bark, 234 (Storm)-Pasedag

*FOOCHOW. In Port on 22nd August, 1882.

Aline, Siamese bark, 347 (Bruhn)-Arsenal. Ernst, German schooner, 346 (Hilderbrand)-Master. Gustav & Marie, German bark, 355 (Buhrsch)-Siemssen & Co.

Hedvig, British bark, 375 (Davey)-Chinese. Knisow, British bark, 795 (Gadd)-Adamson, Velox, Dutch bark, 240 (Wilkens)-Kaw Hong Take & Co.

SHANGHAI.

In Port on 22nd August, 1882. Anne Sieben, German bark, 608 (Paulsen)-Fr. A. Burchards. Bessie, British schooner, 228 (Barter)-Siemssen Carmelita and Ida, German bark, 438 (Ketels)-Lewis and Hopkin. Charley, British bark, 359 (Schroder)-Nils Chingtah, Chinese bark, 474 (Taylor)-C. M. Newchwang 16th July, Beans.-Wieler Corea, British bark, 581 (Law)-E. D. Sassoon

Crimea, British bare, 478 (Smith)-C. T. Wong C. Rodbertus, German bark, 379 (Schultz-Ed. Schellhass & Co. Fantasie, British bark, 696 (Ben) Captain. Havelock, British bark, 1,078 (Jones)-Chap-Hei-chong, British bark, 325 (Pletiner)-Order

Hermann, German bark, 923 (Osbermann)-Melchers & Co. H. E. Tapley, British ship, 946 (Finlayson)-Jane Woodburn, British brig, 299 (Dasborough) D. Brewer, American bark, 964-Melchers

Kishon, British bark, 491 (Howell)-Morris & Co. Latona, British bark, 948 (Robinson)-Chapman, Leander, British bark, 846, Captain. Louisa, German bark, 245 (Schierloh)-Eduard Vostock, Russian gunboat, 4 guns, Commander

Schellhass & Co. Louise Eugene, German bark (Guernion)-Carlowitz & Co. Obed Baxter, American ship, 916 (Baxter)-C. & I. Trading & Co. Orient, German bark, 460 (Roder)-Ed. Schell-

Oscar Vidal, British bark, (299)-Nils Moller. Satsuma, British bark, 364 (Lord)-Morris & Co. Siani, Siamese bark, 294 (Thomsen) - Captain. Solveig, Norwegian bark, 602 (Olsen)-Adamson, Bell & Co. Southern Cross, American ship, 1,129 (Balley)-Russell & Co.

Tetuan, British bark, 437 (Hyne)-J. J. Buch-Velocity, British bark, 490 (Martin)-Morris

> NAGASARI. In Port on 20th August, 1882.

Clara, German bark, 419 (Lintig)-Sing Kee. Hugo & Otto, Norwegian bark, (Kocdt)-Holme, Ringer & Co. Louise, American schooner, 280 (Lawrence)--Holme, Ringer & Co. Manhem, Swedish schooner, 463 (Jansson)-Holme, Ringer & Co. Sea Swallow, British bark, 332 (Way)-Order.

YOKOHAMA. In Port on 19th August, 1882. Else, German brig, 287 (Holm)-P. Bohm.

Mary L. Stone, American ship, 1,458 (Field)-C. & J. Trading Co. August 16, Nonpareil, British bark, 399, Ed. Oswald, German bark, 445 (Boysen)-P. Bohm. ward, Finlayson, Albany 8th July, Sandal Queen Emma, British bark, 314 (W. Dow)-

HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SHIPS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON.

Albatross, screw sloop, 4 guns, Commander Errington, Nagasaki. Champion, corvette, 14 guns, Captain W. L. H. Browne, Japan Sea. Cleopatra, corvette, 14 guns, Captain C. J. Vidal, Japan Sca.

Comus, corvette, 14 guns, Captain J. W. East. en route to Hongkong. Curacoa, corvette, 14 guns, Captain S. Long, Daring, composite sloop, 4 guns, Commander F. J. J. Elliott, Japan Sea.

Encounter, steam corvette, 14 guns, Captain G. Robinson, Japan Sea. Esk, double-screw gunboat, 3 guns, In reserve, Flying-Fish, sloop, 4 guns, Lieut.-Commander

Fly, double-screw gun-vessel, 4 guns, Lieut. Com-Foxhound, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieut.-Commander McQuhae, Hongkong. Iron Duke, double-screw fron frigate, 14 guns

Captain R. E. Tracey, Hakodate. Kestrel, double-screw gun-vessel, 4 guns, Commander W. M. Lang, Japan Sea. ily, screw gun-vessel, 3 guns, Commander Evens, Foodhow.

Magpie, surveying vessel, 4 guns, Lieut,-Com. Carpenter, Corea. Midge, double-screw gun-vessel, In reserve, Moorhen, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieut.-Commander J. H. Corfe, Chefoo. Pegasus, sloop, 6 guns, Commander E. F. Day,

Sheldrake, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieut.-Comander M. Bridger, Chinkiang. Swift, double-screw gun-vessel, 5 guns, Comman-

der Collins, Japan Sca. Tweed, double-screw gunboat; 3 guns, in reserve, Hongkong Victor Emanuel, receiving ship, 20 guns, Commodore Cuming, Hongkong, Vigilant, paddle despatch-vessel, 2 guns, Lieut.

Commander C. Lindsay, Japan Sea. Wivern, turret-ship, 4 guns, in reserve, Hong-Zephyr, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieutenant-Commander Pollard, Yokohama.

FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA STATION.

Anna, German bark, 415 (Davidsen)-H. A. Pe- Abreck, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Captain Schanz, Japan. Adonis, French gunboat, 5 guns, Commander Caillard, Saigon,

Alert, American corvette, 4 guns, Commander 1 Kempff, Kobe. AFRICA, Russian corvette, 14 guns, Captain 'Alexeyeff, Vladivostock. Ashuelot, American corvette, 6 guns, Commander H. E. Mullen, Yokohama.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH, Russian frigate, Captain de Giers, Vladivostock. Elizabeth, German corvette, 15 guns, Captain Hollmann, Hakodate. Ermak, Russian transport, Captain Koltchau,

Gornostai, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Stark, Vladivostock. Iltis, German gunboat, 8 guns, Commander Klausa, Shanghai.

Kersaint, French corvette, Commander Beaumont, en route to Shanghai. La Victorieuse, French frigate, 13 guns, Captain de la Batie, Yokohama. Legaspi, Spanish transport, Don Mariano Tor.

res, Hongkong. Lutin, French gunboat, 4 guns, Commauder · Rouvier, Shanghai. Monocacy; American gunboat, 9 guns, Comman-, der C. S. Cotton, Chefoo.

Morge, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Tatarinoff, Japan. Moscow, Russian transport, 6 guns, Captain Tchirikoff, Vladivostock.

Nerpa, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Valrondt, Nagasaki. Palos, American gunboat, 6 guns, Lieutenant-Commander Green, Hiogo.

PLASTOON, Russian corvette, Captain Poliansky, Richmond, American frigate, 12 guns, Captain Skerratt, Yokohama.

Sobol, Russian gunboat, 7 gunboat, Commander Boyle, Vladivostock. St. Petersburg, Russian transport, 6 guns, Captain Sidenener, Vladivostock. Stotsch, German corvette, 19 guns, Captain von

Blanc, Tientsine, Swatam, American corvette, Commander P. H. Cooper, en route to Singapore. Tamega, Portuguese gunboat, Commander Costa Cabral, Macao.

Tongous, Russian gunboat, Commander Heck, Velasco, Spanish gunboat, Don Pedro Ossa. Vestnik, Russian cruiser, Commander Avelan,

Villars, French corvette, Captain M. Dewatre, Yokohama.

Molchonsky, Japan. Wolf. German gunboat, 4 guns, Commander Strauch, Shanghal.

MARKETS.

REPORTED BY CHINESE FIRMS AND CORRECTED TO DATE. American Drills, 30 yards, per piece \$2.95 to 3.10 American. Drills, 15lbs., per piece \$5.90 to 3.95 Cotton Yarn, No. 16 to 24, per 400 1bs. \$88.50 to 93.00 Cotton Yarn, No. 28 to 32, per 400 1bs.\$98.00 to 105.00 Cotton Yarn, No. 38 to 42, per 400

lbs.\$118.00 to 124:00 Cotton Yarn, Bombay\$79.50 to 82.00 Chintz, per piece \$1.70 to 1.75 Dyed Spotted Shittings, per piece ... \$3.60 to 3.85 Dyed Brocades Shirtings, per piece \$3.55 to 3.70 Dyed Damask Shirtings, per piece \$5.50 to 5.65 English Drills, 30 yards, per piece \$2.55 to 2.65 English Drills, 14lbs., per piece..... \$2.45 to 2.50 English Drills, 15lbs., per piece \$2.85 to 2.90 Grey Shirtings, 7lbs., per plece..... \$1.55 to 1.63 Grey Shirtings, 8lbs., per piece..... \$1.77 to 1.85 Grey Shirtings, 821b., per piece..... \$1,95 to 2.22 Grey Shirtings, olb. per piece \$2.05 to 2.75 Grey Shirtings, Jolbs. per piece..... \$2.97 to 2.99 Grey T-Cloths, 24 yds. & 30 in.

6lbs., per piece \$1.20 to 1.25 Grey T-Cloths, 24 yds. & 32in. 7lbs., Grey T-Cloths, 24yds. 36 in. 8lbs. XO per piece \$1.80 to 1.85

Grey T-Cloths, 24 yds. 36 in. 8lbs.

OL per piece \$2.10 to 2.15

Grey T Gloths, 24 yds, 36 in, 8lbs.

XX per piece \$2.45 to 2.50

Handkerchiels, Blue, per dozen \$2.60 to 0.65 Handkerchiefs, Brown, per dozen... \$0.55 to 0.62 Handkerchiefs, Red, per dozenia \$0.63 to 0.64

Turkey Red Shirtings, 31b., perplece \$1.75 to 2.40

Velyer Black, 32 inohes, per yard. .. \$0.18 to 0.19 Velvet, Gentian, 22 inches, per yard \$0.21 to 0.22 Velveteens, Black, per yard \$0.21 to 0.23 Velycteens, Gentlan, per yard \$0.28 to 0.29 White Shirtings, 54 to 60 reed, p. p. \$2.15 to 2.35 White Shirtings, 64 to 66 reed, p. p. \$2.45, to 2.60 White Shirtings, 68 to 80 reed, p. p. \$2.80 to 35 White Shirtings, 600 reed, per piece \$3.45 to 3.50 White Shirtings, 700 reed, p. piece \$3.20 to 3.25 White Shirtings, AA, per piece..... \$1.65 to 1.70 White Shirtings, EF, perpiece \$5.30 to 5.32 White Shirtings, MH, per piece.....\$3.90 to 3.95 White Spotted Shirtings, per piece...\$2.45 to 2.50 White Brocades, per piece..... \$2.50 to 2.65

WOOLLEN GOODS. Blankets, 8lbs., per pair.....\$3.90 to 3.97 Blankets, 9lbs., per pair..... \$4.20 to 4.25 Blankets, 10lbs., per pair \$4.65 to 4.70 Blankets, 12lbs., per pair \$5.70 to 5.75 Camlets, S, per piece \$14.50 to 15.00 Camlets, BBB, per piece \$15.00 to 16.00 Camlets, AAA, per piece \$15.00 to 15.50 Camlets, LLL, per piece \$13.50 to 14.00 Long Ells, MM Scarlet, per piece... \$7.65 to 7.70 Long Ells, MM Assorted, per piece \$7.65 to 7.70 Long Ells, HH Scarlet, per piece... \$7.75 to 7.80

Lastings, DD, per piece. \$12.50 to 14.80

Long Ells, HH Assorted, per piece \$7.65 to 7.70

Long Ells, H Scarlet, per piece..... \$7.75 to 7.80

Long Ells, H Assorted, per piece... \$7.95 to 7.82

Spanish Stripes, per yard \$0.72 to 0.73 Iron, Nail Rod, per picul \$2.40 to 2.50 Iron, Hoop, per picul \$2.85 to 3.10 - \$3.30 to 3.30 Iron, Bar, per picul..... Iron, Wire, per picul Lead, WB, per picul \$5.50 to 5.55 Lead, LB, per picul Lead, Hole Chop, per picul \$5.40 to 5.45 Quicksilver, English, per picul ...\$57.90 to 58.00 Quicksilver, American, per picul \$58.00 to 58.10 Steel, English, per tub \$3.85 to 3.95 Steel, Swedish, per tub \$4.35 to 4.45 Sheating, Metal, per picul\$21.00 to 25.70 Speiter, per picul \$7.15 to 7.20 Tin, Malacca, per picul\$33.20 to 45.00

Tin, Plates, per box...... \$5.35 to 5.40 PRODUCE.

Almonds, per picul\$18.50 to 19.50 Alum, 1st quality, per picul \$2.45 to 2.55 Alum, and quality, per picul \$1.75 to 1.85 Bark, Siam, per picul \$0.83 to 1.10 Beche de Mer, per picul\$15.20 to 15.40
Beche de Mer, per picul\$30.00 to 55.00
Bees Wax, Japan White, per picul\$11.50 to 12.50
Bees Wax, Hankow, Yellow,

Bees Wax, White, per picul\$70.50 to 2016 Birds' Nests, 1st quality, p. picul \$1,650 to 2,550 Birds' Nests, and quality, p. picul \$650 to 800 Birds' Nests, 3rd quality, p. picul \$75.00 to 210 Brimstone, per picul \$2.55 to 2.65 Buffalo Hides, Manila \$12.00 to 15.50 Buffalo Cow Hides \$7.90 to 8.00 Camphor, packed, per picul \$18.50 to 20.50 Camphor, Baroos, clean, p. picul \$35.00 to 38.00 Camphor, Refuse, per picul \$18.00 to 19.50 Cardamons, Superior..... \$125 to 135 Cardamons, Interior, per picul... \$26.00 to 26.50 Coals, Afloat, per ton..... Coals, English Steam, per ton ... \$10.25 to 10.00 Copper, Sheathing, Japan, p. picul \$20.70 to 21.00 Copper, Rod, Japan, per picul ... \$23.70 to 24.00

Copper, Nails, per picul..... \$23.50 to 23.80 Cotton, Bombay, per picul \$15.30 to 15.80 Cotton, Calcutta, per picul...... \$17.60 to 17.80 Cotton, Ningpo, per picul \$18.20 to 18.60 Cotton, Shanghal, per picul \$16.80 to 17.50 Cotton, Shuntung, per picul.....\$16.20 to 16.80 Cotton, Tientsin, per picul\$17.60 to 17.80 Cotton, Tungchow, per picul\$17.10 to 17.50 Cotton Seeds, Saigon, per picul \$4.20 to 4.30 Cotton Seeds, Siam, per picul \$4.10 to 4.20

Cuttlesish, Japan, per picul\$22.50 to 23.00 Cuttlesish, Jap., without bones, p. pl.\$15.50 to 16.50 Cuttlefish, Chauchow, per picul...\$26.00 to 27.50 Dates, Black, per piculTls. 4.4.5 to 4.5.5 Dates, Red, per piculTls. 3.1.5 to 3.2.5 Dried Lily Flowers, per picul \$7.85 to 8.15 Elephant's Teeth, 4 to 5 pieces, p. pl. \$250 to 300 Elephant's Teeth, 7 to 8 pieces, p. pl. \$200 to 220 Flour, California, per sack of 50bs. \$1.48 to 1.54 Flour, Amer., per barrel of 100 hs. \$3.10 to 3.25. Flour, Amer., per barrel of 200 bs. \$6.20 to 6.35

Fungus\$39,50 to 40.00 Hams, Ordinary, per picul... Tis.17.7.0 to 18.0.0 Hams, Superior, per picul... Tls.29.5.0 to 31.0.0 Hemp, Hankow, per picul..... \$10.50 to 12.00 Hemp, Siam, per picul...... \$10.40 to 11.00

Isinglass, Japan, per picul..... \$36.00 to 45.00 Melon Sceds, 1st quality, per picul \$4.90 to 5.30 Molon Seeds, and quality, perpicul \$4.50 to 4.70 Pea Oil, per picul Tls. 5.0.0 to 5.0.5. Peas, White, per picul \$2.05 to 2.10 Peas, Green, per picul......\$1.98 to 2.08 Peas, Black, per picul......\$1.89 to 1.91 Peas, Yellow, per picul..... \$2.08 to 2.12 Peas, Green Beans, per picul ... \$1.89 to 1.91

Putchuk, per picul......\$13.00 to 14.70
Rhinoceros Horn, per picul.....\$2,600 to 3,000
Rhinoceros Horn, Mother, p. pel. \$2,000 to 2,400 Rice, Siam, No. 1, per picul..... \$1.95 to 1.96 Rice, Siam, No. 2, per picul...... \$1.82 to 1.85 Rice, Siam, milled No. 1, p. pcl. \$1.82 to 1.85 Rice, Siam, milled No. 2, p. pcl. \$1.67 to \$.68 Rice, Salgon, No. 1, per picul ... \$1.87 to 1.90 Rice, Salgon, Hemp bags \$1.75 10 1.76 Rice, Salgon, Straw bags \$1.71 10 1.72

Scawced, Green, per picul..... \$3.7,5 to 2.85 Seaweed, Cut, per picul...... \$3. 05 to 3.15 Sesamum, White, per picul \$3.85 to 3.95 Sesamum, Black, per picul ... Tis. 72.4.5 to, 2.5.5 Stockfish, per picul...... \$5.00 to 6.50 STRAITS PRODUCE, &C.

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